Councilman Nolen moved that the costs in the following styled and numbered causes be remitted:

Motion prevailed by the following vote: Ayes, Mayor Yett, Councilmen Avery, Haynes Nolen and Searight, 5; nayes, none.

Councilman Avery nominated A. E. Hancock and M. R. Otto as members of the Board of Plumbing Examiners. Nominations were confirmed by the following vote: Ayes, Mayor Yett, Councilmen Haynes, Nolen and Searight, 4; nayes, none, Councilman Avery present but not voting.

The Council then adjourned.

REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL:

Austin, Texas, March 12,1925.

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The Council was called to order by the Mayor. Rol! call showed the following members present: Mayor Yett, Councilmen Avery, Haynes, Nolen and Searight, 5; absent, none.

Councilman Haynes moved that upon the showing made by Lon A. Smith, \$139.29 be accepted in payment of the taxes due on one acre on West Avenue, Outlot 2, Division "E", Robinson Sub-division, City of Austin, for the year 1922, and that cause #41600, City of Austin vs. Lon A. Smith, et al, now pending in the District Court be dismissed. Motion prevailed by the following vote: Ayes, Mayor Yett, Councilmen Avery, Haynes, Nolen and Searight, 5; nayes, none.

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The Minutes of the last meeting were read and Councilman Searight moved that same be adopted. Motion prevailed by the following vote: Ayes, Mayor Yett, Councilmen Avery, Haynes, Nolen and Searight, 5; nayes, none.

Councilman Nolen introduced the following ordinance:

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE SOLICITING OF PERSONS FOR THE PURPOSE OF UNLAWFUL SEXUAL INTERCOURSE, AND PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF.

The ordinance was read the first time and Councilman Nolen moved that the rule be suspended and the ordinance placed on its second reading. Motion prevailed by the following vote: Ayes, Mayor Yett, Councilmen Avery, Haynes, Nolen and Searight, 5; nayes, none.

The ordinance was read the second time and Councilman Nolen moved that the rule be suspended and the ordinance be placed on its third reading and final passage. Motion prevailed by the following vote: Ayes, Mayor Yett, Councilmen Avery, Haynes, Nolen and Searight, 5; nayes, none.

The ordinance was read the third time and Councilman Nolen moved that same be finally passed. Motion prevailed by the following vote: Ayes, Mayor Yett, Councilmen Avery, Haynes, Nolen and Searight, 5; nayes, none.

The application of the Beacon Shoe Company to erect a sign on Congress

Avenue was read and Councilman Searight moved that same be referred to the Safety

Committee. Motion prevailed by the following vote: Ayes, Mayor Yett, Councilmen

Avery, Haynes, Nolen and Searight, 5; nayes, none.

The report of W. D. Walker, Dairy Inspector, for the month of February, 1925, was read and ordered filed.

The Council then recessed.

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL:

Austin, Texas, March 16, 1925.

The Council was called to order by the Mayor. Roll call showed the following members present: Mayor Yett, Councilmen Haynes and Searight, 3; absent, Councilmen Avery and Nolen.

Councilman Haynes introduced the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Unit System experts in valuing the improvements on property of John Freeman, corner of West 10th and West Lynn Streets, placed same at \$1640.00; and

WHEREAS, said improvements consist of an old box house, built more than fifty years ago, and is now, and has been occupied by a family of negroes for the past twenty years, therefore the valuation placed on said improvements is erroneous and excessive and as a matter of equity should be reduced to \$600.00,

Therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:

That the Assessor and Collector be and he is hereby instructed to correct the assessment and accept payment of taxes on same at a valuation of \$600.00.

The above resolution was adopted by the following vote: Ayes, Mayor Yett, Councilmen Haynes and Searight, 3; nayes, none, Councilmen Avery and Nolen absent.